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NAPOLÉON, O., - AUG. 5, 1886.

Democratic County Ticket.

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Commissioner—W. N. ZIEROLF.

Surveyor—CHAS. N. SCHWAB.

Infantry Director—PETER SCHALL.

Judicial Ticket.

For Circuit Judge—THOS. DEER.

Congress will probably adjourn today.

The remains of the late Chief Justice Chase are to be removed from Washington to Cincinnati.

Hon. W. D. Hill has thanks for important documents. Mr. Hill distributes more documents to his constituents than any other Congressman we ever had.

It is claimed that the Cleveland post-office has cleared \$75,000 for the year ending June 30, and that 28,082,335 letters and circulars have passed through the office during the year.

The Congressional Convention next week will not lack good timber from which to select a candidate. So far as heard from the candidates are Hill, Meekison, Wilkins, Baldwin and Reece.

The Toledo district Congressional Convention will be held at Clyde on the 28th day of September. Hurd and a half dozen other prominent Democrats in the district will be candidates.

Judge S. S. Yoder has been nominated by the Democrats for Congress in the 5th district. Judge Yoder is a good man and will be elected by a good round majority as the district is 6,000 Democratic.

Gen. Warner has declined to accept a renomination for Congress. The Democrats can now do no better in that district than take up as a candidate Hon. Henry Bohl. He can carry the district against Grosvenor.

The Senate on Friday adopted the House joint resolution requiring the Secretary of the Treasury to apply all money in excess of \$1,000,000 monthly to the reduction of the public debt. The debt will now be paid more rapidly than ever.

We have received No. 1, Vol. 1, of the Democratic Herald, a new Sunday paper just started in Toledo by R. Selner & Co. The paper is a neat appearing six column folio and is full of interesting news and other matter. May the paper prosper, is our wish.

Public Printer Rounds has resigned, the President requesting him to do so. The place is expected to be filled by a find of Mr. Cleveland, in the person of Mr. Rogers, of Buffalo. We have our own private opinion of a Republican waiting for a Democratic President to ask him to resign. He should be kicked out for his impudence.

The severest rain and wind storm that ever struck Columbus visited that city on Saturday. Buildings were unroofed, trees uprooted and other damage done. The most serious damage was the complete destruction of the large rolling mills. The building was 300 feet long by 110 feet wide; many of the workmen were injured, but none killed outright. The storm was also severe at Newark, Delaware, Marion and other points.

Great guns! Listen to the Henry County Signal: "Stick to the Republican party. It is the party of the people—the friend of the laboring man—the defender of the poor against the oppressions of monopoly." Then God help the laboring man and the poor, for these classes hold a similar position to the Republican party that a helpless lamb does in the power of a savage wolf.—Bee.

Hon. W. D. Hill will address the Wood County Democratic Convention at Perryburg on the 20th.

By the fraudulent counting in of a President, John Sherman was made what he is. He thrives well on fraud now, but his downfall is in the near future.

Gov. Foraker wants the farms of Ohio appraised higher so as to increase the taxes, but we understand the "O. N. G. boys will be compelled to go into camp furnishing their own blankets.

Why doesn't Halstead and Bob Kennedy insist that 17 is a majority of 44 and declare Senator Payne expelled. The 17 in the Ohio senate, according to Bobby Kennedy, control 20.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Hon. Frank Baldwin, of Bowling Green, was in the city Thursday last. Mr. Baldwin's name will be presented from Wood county as a candidate before the Congressional Convention next week. Mr. B. is a No. 1 man.

Henry county will accept the nomination of any one of her many good Democrats for Congress, and the convention would fittingly recognize her sure enough thirteen hundred Democratic majority by placing it there.—Bryan Dem.

A Commissioner of pensions under a Republican President once said that one-third of the pensions were fraudulent, but they came to the department and they could not distinguish which they were. For the first time since the war we have a President who has the courage to risk popularity by doing what is right.

The Van Wert Times has passed into the hands of a new company, with J. E. Foster as editor. Bro. Clymer has made the paper one of the leading journals of the State and we hope the new proprietorship will keep up its reputation, of which we have no doubt, knowing Bro. Foster to be one of the best of newspaper men.

Bob Reece, of Paulding, was in the city again on Monday looking after his chances for Congress. Mr. Reece reports that he will go into the Convention with his county solid and a following from Defiance county. This may be true, but it is our private opinion that Defiance county will come up solid for Mr. Hill, but we hope all counties in the district in the end will come to the support of Henry's candidate, Judge Meekison, who can sweep the district clean.

The Prohibition State convention held at Canton last Thursday, nominated the following officers: Secretary of State, H. R. Smith, of Morrow; Commissioner of Common Schools, L. M. Hagood, of Hamilton; Judge of the Supreme Court, Gideon T. Stewart, of Hiram; Clerk of Supreme Court, H. J. May, of Hardin; Member Board of Public Works, Abraham E. Trenchard, of Cuyahoga. The platform adopted denounces the Dow law, favors co-operation with the workingmen, demands the enforcement of the Sunday law, &c.

The Hon. W. D. Hill circulated among his friends in Napoleon on Friday. He came up from Washington for a few days to look after his fences in the district. Mr. Hill frankly says he should like very much to return to Congress for another term for various reasons—one that he is chairman of an important committee—that of Territories—and would like to retain it. He also frankly says he will use no influence in this county to injure our candidate, Judge Meekison. Mr. Hill returned to Washington Saturday evening, to be on hand at the closing hours of Congress.

A score or more Democrats met at the Mayor's office last Friday evening, for the purpose of making arrangements to attend the State Convention at Toledo. Jas. P. Bagan was called to the chair and J. J. Malley was made Secretary. It was resolved that the Democrats from this county go to the convention en masse. A finance committee was selected, consisting of H. C. Groschner, A. J. Sayers and D. Meekison. Committee on transportation—J. J. Malley, L. L. Orwig and J. K. Withers. General Executive Committee—E. C. Dodd, H. C. Groschner, J. B. Dittenhafer, J. J. Malley and M. Knupp. The committee were requested to report Wednesday evening, Aug. 4th, to which time the meeting adjourned.

Ninety-nine years ago July 13th the Continental Congress passed the famous "Ordinance of 1787," the organic law of the Northwest Territory. This was the first act passed by our government prohibiting slavery in any part of the Union, and hence has been widely known as the "Compact of Freedom."

It also contained provisions relating to education, forms of religion and to the rights of persons and property. The Ohio State Historical and Archaeological Society has taken steps to celebrate this important event. The next session of the State Teachers' Association will be held in Ohio in July, 1887, and at that time appropriate commemorative exercises will be held. This will prepare teachers to make a creditable showing of Ohio's educational progress at the Centennial Exposition to be held in the autumn of 1888, at Columbus. The Secretary of the Exposition Board, Mr. A. A. Graham, is now sending out circulars of information on this point. It is the intention of the State Teachers' Association to invite the teachers of Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin (which States, with Ohio, comprise the territory) to join in these commemorative exercises, and, in 1888, to invite all the teachers of the United States to see what Ohio has done in educational matters in her first century.

Excitement in Texas. Great excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Paris, Tex., by the remarkable recovery of Mr. J. E. Corley, who was so helpless he could not turn in bed, or raise his head; everybody said he was dying of Consumption. A trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery was sent him. Finding relief, he bought a large bottle and a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills; by the time he had taken two boxes of Pills and two bottles of the Discovery, he was well and gained in flesh thirty-six pounds. Trial Bottles of this Great Discovery for Consumption free at J. C. Saur's.

An exchange has this timely advice: "Now is the time to think of the babies. Leave off as much of their clothes as possible—all of them if you want to. Civilization has killed more than one innocent by overburdening it with clothes in hot weather, day and night. Fresh air and room to kick are the best preventives of cholera infantum."

Ex-President Tilden Dead!

Just before going to press the telegraph brings the sad news of the death of Hon. S. J. Tilden, who died at 9:25 Wednesday morning. A nation mourns.

Ben Butler wants to go to Congress.

President Cleveland has signed the oleomargarine bill, and it is now a law.

Prince Bismarck has sent a large photograph of himself to President Cleveland. It is framed in carved oak and bears the Prince's autograph.

At last the new Post Master for Toledo has been named, in the person of George E. Lorenz. The nomination is said to be a good one and pleases the people of Toledo almost unanimously. President Cleveland is a captain and knows to a T what the people wish. Mr. Lorenz was not at all considered in the light of a candidate for the position, but it came to him almost wholly unthought. Now, that the vexed question of who shall be P. M. of Toledo is settled, let it be hoped the Democracy of the future great will unite and bring Lucas county into the Democratic column for once and all time to come.

Evarts on Halstead.

In his recent sledge-hammer speech in the United States Senate, Senator William M. Evarts, of New York, referred to the Ohio Republican editors' bombastic fulmination against Logan, Evarts and Teller in characteristic terms. He said the Ohio editors' convention reminded him of a parliament of crows. All of one color, one feather, and all speaking the same words, "Caw, Caw, Caw."

The Senator then took up Chevalier Murat Halstead, the King of the Crows. Unlike Logan, Senator Evarts did not skin him with a meat-axe, but with a withering parallel. "I could not understand," said the Senator, "how all this hubbub arose until I learned from the Senator from Illinois (Mr. Logan) that it came from the editor of the Cincinnati Commercial Gazette. Some thought," he added, "it was the roar of the lion. No," said the Senator, playfully, "it is not the roaring of the lion at all. I will show you what it is." Then taking up a volume of Shakespeare, the Senator read from the play of Pyramus and Thisbe in "A Midsummer Night's Dream," as follows:

Snout, the Tinker: Will not the ladies be afeared of the lion?

Bottom, the Weaver: Master, you ought to consider with yourselves; to bring in, God shield us! a lion among ladies, is a most dreadful thing; for there is not a more fearful wild-fowl than your lion, living; and we ought to look to it.

Snout: Therefore, another prologue must tell he is not a lion.

Bottom: Nay, you must name his name, and half his face must be seen through the lion's neck; and he himself must speak through, saying thus, or to the same defect, Ladies, or, Fair ladies, I would wish you, or, I would request you; or, I would entreat you, not to fear; not to tremble; my life for yours. If you think I come hither as a lion, it were pity of my life; no, I am no such thing; I am a man as other men are; and there, indeed, let him name his name; and tell them plainly he is Snout, the Joiner."

This satire on Murat Halstead brought down the galleries, and even the boys in the "pit" cheered lustily. Why don't our neighbors of the Signal give his readers the good things in this matter said by both Senators Logan and Evarts, two of the leading Republican Senators? Come, Mr. Signal, let your readers know of the things of the times.

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According to the testimony of physicians and coroners, in all parts of the Union, deaths have resulted from the use of cough syrups, containing morphia, opium and other poisons. In this connection, Dr. Sam'l Cox, of Washington, after careful analyses, endorses Red Star Cough Cure as being purely vegetable, and absolutely free from opiates, poisons and narcotics. Price, twenty-five cents.

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BOUGHT THE ENTIRE STOCK OF GOODS

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And in order to reduce the amount on hand and get some ready money to buy our fall stock with, we are going to give the public the

Benefit of Our Bargain for 30 Days!

Our Sale Begins at Once!

And Will be Kept Up During all of August.

And prices on many kinds of goods will be so low as to surprise everybody. In some lines we have an overstock, and these goods must go if prices will move them. Below we quote a few prices as samples of what is going on:

30 Pieces of All Wool Ottomen 30
Stripe Cashmere at 45c per yard,

Last weeks Price was \$1.00.

TWENTY PIECES ALL WOOL COLORED CASH-MERE AT

45 Cents, Last Weeks Price was 75 Cents.

15 Pieces all Wool Dress Flannel at 50c

25c Less than it Can be Bought Four Weeks From Now.

100 Pieces Dress Flannel

Tricot and Brocade, all Wool, 40c per yard less than the lowest prices ever reached.

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At \$1 and \$1.25, same goods sold last Saturday at \$2 and \$2.50.

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